

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. (Currently Amended) A stretched porous resin film which is obtained from a compound prepared by kneading a composition ~~comprising~~ consisting essentially of 30 to 100% by weight of a thermoplastic resin comprising 5 to 100 parts by weight of a hydrophilic thermoplastic resin per 100 parts by weight of a non-hydrophilic thermoplastic resin and 0 to 70% by weight of at least one of an inorganic fine powder and an organic fine powder in an intermeshing twin-screw extruder at a screw shear rate of  $300 \text{ sec}^{-1}$  or higher and which has a liquid absorbing capacity of  $0.5 \text{ ml/m}^2$  or more as measured in accordance with the method specified in Japan TAPPI Standard No. 51-87.

2. (Original) The porous resin film according to claim 1, which has an average contact angle of  $110^\circ$  or less with water.

3. (Original) The porous resin film according to claim 2, wherein the difference between the maximum and the minimum contact angles with water is  $30^\circ$  or less.

4. (Original) The porous resin film according to claim 1, which has a porosity of 10% or more.

5. (Original) The porous resin film according to claim 4, which has  $1 \times 10^6$  or more pores per  $\text{m}^2$  on the surface thereof.